

## Message Text

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INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 DHA-02 L-03 IO-13 DPW-01 CIAE-00

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC

TO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

INFO AMCONSUL BOMBAY

AMCONSUL CALCUTTA

AMCONSUL MADRAS

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, IN

SUBJECT: POLITICAL PRISONERS

REF: N-W DELHI 5310 (NOTAL)

REFTEL WAS MOST HELPFUL TO US IN PUTTING CHARGES OF TORTURE  
WE TOO HAVE HEARD FROM TIME TO TIME IN PERSPECTIVE. IN  
CONNECTION WITH THE CONTINUED DETENTION OF OPPOSITION  
POLITICAL FIGURES, WE WOULD ALSO APPRECIATE EMBASSY'S  
LATEST ESTIMATE OF TOTAL RPT TOTAL NUMBER OF POLITICAL  
PRISONERS BEING HELD UNDER MISA AND OTHER PREVENTIVE  
DETENTION STATUTES AS A RESULT OF EMERGENCY. KISSINGER

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